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Woman's Safe Cure

Has for a Fifth of a Century Cured all forms of...

KIDNEY AND LIVER DISEASES.

THE DREAD DISEASE

Is best advanced Kidney Disease. Either is Dangerous. Both can be Cured. It treated in time with Warner's Safe Cure.

Large bottle or new style smaller one at your druggist's. Ask for either and accept no substitute.

Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, made on the day of October, 1893, in the chancery cause therein pending of H. C. Sharp, assignee, vs. William L. Harper, the undersigned special commissioner, on Tuesday the 20th day of October, 1893, at the front door of the court house of said Pocahontas county, proceeded to sell by way of public auction to the highest bidder a certain tract or parcel of land situated on Knapp's Creek in said Pocahontas County, containing 2700 acres of land, it being the same land conveyed to the defendant, William L. Harper, by the St. Lawrence Boom & Manufacturing Company by deed dated on the 21st day of October, 1890, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas County in Deed Book No. 23 page 10, in which deed the said company reserve the fine timber and rights of way. Reference is here made to said deed for a more specific description of said land. The said tract of land constitutes a fine farm in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and as to the residue of the purchase money in three equal installments payable in six, twelve, and eighteen months from day of sale, the purchaser executing interest-bearing bonds for said deferred payments, with good security, and a lien to be retained as ultimate security.

W. A. BRATTON,
L. M. MCCLINTIC,
Special Commissioners.

I, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above named special commissioner has given bond as required in said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County West Virginia, rendered on the day of April, 1893, to resell the property hereinbefore mentioned in the chancery cause of M. J. McNeel vs. Lanty W. Herold, and others, the undersigned special commissioner will proceed to sell on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26th, 1893 in front of the court house door of Pocahontas county, at public auction to the highest bidder, 14 acres or more, of land, situated in the village of Frost, in this county, consisting of two adjoining parcels, one of which is the residue of a tract of land conveyed to the said Lanty W. Herold by Charles P. Jones, Commissioner, by deed dated April 9, 1890, after conveying 2 acres to H. F. Herold by deed dated April 10, 1890. The other parcel contains 4 acres, and the title was derived from the late J. B. Henshaw. This land has upon it a commodious dwelling house together with all necessary outbuildings, and is admirably suited for hotel purposes.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

L. M. MCCLINTIC,
Special Commissioner.

I, J. H. Patterson, clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, do hereby certify that the above named special commissioner has given bond as required in said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

Fiduciary Notice.

THE following fiduciary account is before the undersigned commissioner of accounts for settlement, to-wit:

High H. Harper, executor of William M. L. Harper, deceased.

J. H. PATTERSON,
Commissioner.

Department Store.



Fountain Block Charleston, W. Va.

Fall Season of 1893.

Our lines in our many departments are being increased each day with LATEST and MOST ATTRACTIVE GOODS. This Fall and approaching Winter season will find us better prepared than ever to fill the wants of our customers having devoted much time and attention to this important item of selecting such goods only as the greatest number of patrons will purchase - the things they need or can afford to indulge in. This is one of the chief causes of our success. It makes us turn our stock quickly and renders small margins possible. We pin our faith to

Honest Values and Bottom Prices

and straight forward methods in all our business transactions. We extend to all our out of town customers, a cordial invitation when in the city to come in and look through our departments, where they can find the latest productions of all kinds of merchandise at BOTTOM PRICES. To those who do not find it convenient to call, we would kindly request to write us about anything you wish to know the price of, we will with pleasure send you full information by return mail. Anything that can be sampled we will be pleased to submit your samples upon application. We pay strictest prompt attention to all inquiries, so you need not hesitate to correspond with us, for we are at all times ready and willing to serve you in every way possible. The following are some of our lines in our different departments and you will find them always complete.

DRESS GOODS.

of the latest novelties. A handsome assortment of SILKS, the latest patterns and styles. Linings, Towels, and Toweling. Domestic, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Hosiery, Gloves, and an elegant line of Cloaks, Capes, and Dressing Jackets, Fur Garments, Ready-made Skirts, Wrappers, Notions, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Children's and Misses' Hats and Caps, Corsets, Trunks and Valises. A large and complete line of

LADIES' MENS' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

of renowned makes. Special quality and styles of Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, woodware, willowware, Toys, Novelties, Pictures, Ornaments, and all kinds of Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Soap, etc.

Very respectfully, Yours,
JELENKO BROS. & LOEB,
FOUNTAIN BLOCK, Capitol Street,
Charleston, W. Va.

This is still a free country. You can pay more for your goods elsewhere if you want, a good deal more, but if money is an object to you come and buy where you can buy Sea Island percales at 10 & 12 1-2c per yard.

THE GOLDEN STORE.

Some of Highlands Big Cattle.

Messrs Porter, Christie and D. V. Ruckman have, in the last few days, taken to market a number of the finest cattle that have ever been grazed in the county. Among them were 20 head of Horn. C. F. Jones' which weighed 1360 lbs., 62 head of 4-year-olds which, belonging to L. B. Stephens, weighed something over 1500 lbs. head of two and three-year-olds, belonging to J. Trimble, averaged 1410 pounds. Of these last there were four 3-year-olds which weighed 820 lbs., making an average of 1540 pounds. All rich and sound, well watered.

Highland, Kentucky.

Church Notes.

Rev J. Newton Craig may be expected to preach in Henderson on the second Sabbath of October at 11 a. m. This will be the 50th anniversary of his father's death and the Craig will improve the occasion by remarks pertinent to such an occasion.

Rev W. T. Price will preach at Marlinton Sunday at 11 a. m., and at Hamilton Chapel in the evening.

Croup Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN BLESS, Ark. - Our children, who suffer with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it cured them almost without a trial.

Order of Publication.

State of West Virginia, County of Pocahontas, to-wit: At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of said County, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1896.

State of West Virginia, Plaintiff against

Joseph P. Moore, E. M. Buzzard, Perry A. Buzzard, Arminius Hinz, David, William C. Buzzard, Sarah D. Grimes, Mary A. Buzzard, W. A. G. Sharp, J. A. Sharp, E. N. Moore, Isaac Stumacher, Joseph Sharp, J. W. Rider, Belle Rider, Laura Irene Cole, John Smith, Josiah Dilley, Ralph Dilley, William Dilley, Lunday B. Sharp, Jeremiah Dilley, Clayton Dilley, Clark Dilley, Margaret M. Sutton, The unknown heirs of Rosannah Rider, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mary Hartman, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jane Swadley, deceased, the unknown heirs of Nancy Moore, deceased, Nancy Waulens, Eric E. Smith, James Sharp, Andrew Sharp, Crawford Sharp, Hardin Sharp, Asariah Sharp, Jordan Sharp, Asariah Sharp, Defendants.

The object of this order is to benefit of the School Fund of the State of West Virginia a tract of 2308 acres, forfeited in the name of John Sharp Sr.'s estate for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1882, and purchased by the State of West Virginia and redeemed by the legal representatives of the said John Sharp, Sr. Said tract of land is situated in Green Bank District of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, and is a part of a tract of 8500 acres known as the Archibald Wood Survey, situated in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, and Highland County, Virginia. And it appearing by affidavit filed that the unknown heirs of Rosannah Rider, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mary Hartman, deceased; the unknown heirs of Jane Swadley, deceased; the unknown heirs of Nancy Moore, deceased; the unknown heirs of Nancy Waulens, Eric E. Smith, Jas. Sharp, Andrew Sharp, Crawford Sharp, Asariah Sharp, Hardin Sharp, Jordan Sharp, and Robert Sharp, are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Circuit Court, this 7th day of September, 1896.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

L. M. McCLINTIC, P. Q.

Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, made on the 10th day of June, 1895, in the chancery cause therein pending of Thomas C. Malcomb vs. John Waulens, the undersigned Special Commissioner will on the 20th day of October, 1896, at the front door of the court house of said Pocahontas County, proceed to sell by way of public auction to the highest bidder, the following tract or parcel of land situated on Back Alleyway, in said County, namely:

A tract of 203 acres of land belonging to the defendant, John Waulens, being a part of a survey of 863 acres granted by patent to Andrew Waulens, and the tract conveyed by said Andrew Waulens to said John Waulens by deed dated on the 10th day of June, 1895, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas County, in Deed Book No. 12 page 24, to which deed reference is made for a more specific description. No amount of said tract will be necessary to satisfy said decree, and it is ordered that the land be sold in parcels as may be found that part adjoining the lands of Thomas Everage. This portion is cleared in part and in good land.

TERMS OF SALE—No such cash in hand as will pay costs of suit and expenses of sale, and upon a credit of six months as to the purchase of the purchase money, the purchaser executing his bond with good security for the deferred installments, and a lien to be retained on the tract until the full amount is paid.

L. M. McCLINTIC, Special Commissioner.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, do hereby certify that the above named Special Commissioner has executed bond as required by said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

The Weekly Letter.

This is the season of guns. From now on they will be used to give increased zest to an evening stroll. In case there should be any man who would so far forget the laws of his country as to wait at a deer-stand, the presence of his dearly beloved gun may keep him there for nine long hours, while without it he would not remain ten minutes. And yet the average deer-hunter would do just as much execution without a gun as with one.

Others may admire the professional order of the artist who sits day after day with his camera in position to get a photograph of a deer in its native haunts, but we could be very well content with a memory of a deer coming into the water and offering a fair shot, which is given with the nerves strung to such an intensity that the rifle barrel is pointed with mechanical accuracy, and the deer with a wild leap in the air falls plucked through the heart. If this supreme moment in a man's life can be equaled by securing a negative of a deer running, then we do not blame the kodak fiend, for being the fiend he is. But as for us we would rather secure the substance ere the shadow fades, and if we are given an average long life it may be that the smallest details of that scene on the wild river will remain with us longer than the negative joys of the photographer. At least who has not heard the old hunter tell of the death of some fine deer, twenty to fifty years back, and seen that the picture of that death is before his eyes and in his mind as he talks, and we have often wondered if the scene that rises before the enraptured listener as to how it happened is wholly erroneous.

But to return to our subject. The carelessness with which guns have been preferred by the people of this county give to it a varied collection. The apparently oldest gun we have ever seen here is an old rifle at present in the collection of Mr. Norman Price, of this place. It is of large bore, shooting about an ounce ball. Its lock has been changed from a flint-lock by a local gunsmith, and bears the date of 1804 with the name of the makers in Richmond, Va. The stock would indicate that it was a Revolutionary gun, as it has on it a large brass rattlesnake forming the "grace head," with the words: "Don't tread on me." This was the motto of South Carolina, and was the form of many of the Colonial muskets. Of course the brass work may have been transferred to the present stock, but the general old look would rather indicate that it is one or the original muskets of the South Carolina troops.

The Winchester model of 1873, practically demonized the mountain-rifles of the free and unlimited mountaineer, so at the time the people of America did not realize it. Since that time such a number of repeating rifles have come into the country that the sporting young men is not consequently quite so fast when he goes to call on his best girl that the season of the year unless he has a late model Winchester to dress up with. The greater part of the old mountain rifles have become the property of the small boy. He keeps the gun clean and soon gets to be a dandy shot. The trouble is that whenever a bit of game is found the little fellow has to spend some anxious moments until a rest be found for the heavy gun, but that once secured the squirrel or pheasant had better stand firm under.

The advantages of the modern gun over the old are numerous. The single shot screw-down made better muskets, but it was the

gun's greatest disadvantage. The old-time hunters could load very rapidly, and the inexperienced must not judge from the fact that he interferes with himself when he tries to load one of the guns that everybody is so slow. The range of the round ball which they shot was not great. The ball was round and the lead soft. However deep the rifles were cut the ball could not be forced through owing to its being muzzle-loaded. The long ball of the Winchester is of hardened lead; the spiral grooves give it a wonderful spin; and the range consequently is much greater. The Winchester model of 1896, shoots smokeless powder and has the surface of the ball covered with copper and tin. This gun is good for two or three miles.

The old guns of this country should be carefully preserved. They will be valuable to the relic-hunters, but more precious as heirlooms. In a few generations many a tale can be woven round the unwieldy weapon, and the marks that indicate deer now, or nothing, may mean so many Indians before the world is much older. Hang on to the old mountain-rifles, for without them the first settlers would have had a sorry time of it.

During the past few weeks the traveler on our roads has found his way impeded every now and then by large droves of cattle which are either being driven to market or removed to Virginia or elsewhere to be fed. We are never so proud of our section as when we see what an excellent cattle the country produces. The blue-grass pastures have fattened the cattle to perfection and the long effort to improve the breed by importing thoroughbred stock has told, and every drove which goes shows the grand results of the progressiveness of our stockmen. There is a wide difference between the long-horned Tuckahoe cattle weighing eight or nine hundred pounds each, and the polled Pocahontas steers weighing over fourteen hundred pounds. While there is net as much money as there was in the business, or as there should be, still there must be a great deal of satisfaction in turning out such magnificent animals as Pocahontas cattle.

Rheumatism Cured.

"I have had rheumatism for over three years. I have taken four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has cured me. I feel better than I have for years and I am glad to add my name to the list of those who have been benefited by taking this medicine. It has also cured my wife of female troubles." W. R. DAVIS, McMechen, W. Va.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Musical Association.

The Pocahontas County Musical Association will commence at Marvin Chapel on Friday, October 16, at 10 a. m. The music leaders from the different parts of the county are expected to be present and ready to work. All lovers of music are invited. JOHN WAGNER, President.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, he concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic, and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in form—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland.

A Letter from Tennessee.

After a toilsome climb of 200 feet I have at last emerged from the dome of the Capitol of Tennessee. The immense building—one of the finest capital buildings in the United States—is built on a dome-like eminence, and as I look northward I can see the groves and meadows as they fade away beyond the smoke and turmoil of a busy city. As far as I can see the rolling plain seems as a vast garden. The trees as they speed to the north appear as great serpents as they wind along. At my feet the sluggish Cumberland sparkling in the rays of the setting sun seems as a diamond necklace laid across a leaf of gold.

In all directions as far as I can see the earth seems a velvet carpet dotted by emerald-like groves of trees. About the foot of the hill the city lies, and the quiet, peaceful scenes beyond make a pretty contrast to the bustle and confusion about me. The architect of the capitol was William Strickland, and his body is buried in its massive walls.

I come down from the dizzy height upon the grounds about the building. The hill slopes down by terraces, and as I walk along the marble pavement vast beds of flowers and waving trees fill the air with freshness.

On each of the four sides of the structure there is a statue with uplifted club as if it would guard forever the purity of Tennessee. Here is a huge marble pedestal surmounted by a horse and rider. As I come nearer I recognize the horseman as Andrew Jackson, and about the base of the pedestal written in flowers are the words "Old Hickory."

Here is a tomblike structure built of marble. It is the burial-place of James K. Polk. Here sleeps an honored man, a great man, a President, but the tattered beggar leans against his tomb, and if he thinks of him he does not envy him his lot. I stand in the shadow of his sepulcher and put out my hand against it. How cold, how forbidding, yet cruel it seems! In your bosom you hold honored ashes, but earth cannot take from you your own. He was a trust given you, and you are a tomb and like a tomb must keep him sacred.

It makes me sad when I stand above so great a man, and yet my lot is one to me far happier than his would seem to be. He we great or small, mantled by glory or shrouded by ignominy, God's laws are unchanging, and all of us must honor them.

The coming night warns me that I must return home, and with a solemn air I kiss the cold, well-kept rock and turn away, but I will keep this evening's memories forever. G. D. M. NASHVILLE, TENN., Sept. 9, 1896.

GENERAL PALMER had this to say of Free Silver in 1892 in his speech on the Homestead riots:

"Scratch an opponent of the coinage of silver and you will find a supporter of the national bank system, and you won't have to scratch very hard." "It is very well to abuse the friends of the silver dollar as infidels, thieves, repudiators and all sorts of things, but really the friends of the gold dollar ought to pay the same attention to the members of the convention who framed the United States Constitution, and who made the silver dollar the unit and standard of value in this country."

"If there is any dollar more honest than the silver dollar of 1791 (made of pure silver) it has not been discovered in the century or thereabouts that the nation has existed. If there can be such a thing as a dishonest dollar, that dishonest coin trick and treachery of a coin, the gold dollar, exactly like that designation."

Memorable Sayings.

In this article will be presented some very remarkable utterances by statesmen and orators of a former generation whose sagacity enabled them to see what things were then coming to, forty or more years ago.

Jefferson declared that "Banks are more dangerous to the liberties of the people than standing armies."

President Garfield, the murdered President, was of the opinion that whoever controls the volume of money of any country is absolutely master of all industries and commerce.

Sir William Pitt gives this as a piece of his mind: "If the Americans adopt our banking and funding system, their liberties are gone." Truer words never fell from uninspired lips.

Here is a statement that ought to be written in every copy-book in Pocahontas and posted in every public place: "The theory of the intrinsic value of money has been abandoned by the best writers and speakers." This is from an article on money in the foremost encyclopedia yet published as an authority on all questions.

No one holds a warmer place in the hearts of millions of our countrymen than Abraham Lincoln. He is venerated by the largest proportion of his former enemies for his marvellous sagacity and truthfulness. Read carefully and consider thoughtfully what he said: "If a government contracted a debt with a certain amount of money in circulation, and then contracted the money volume before the debt was paid, it is the most heinous crime that a government could commit against the people."

Owing to his opposition to slavery we Southern people did not or could not estimate Wendell Phillips at his true worth as one of the wisest, purest, and most eloquent men of his times. In one of his wonderful orations he said: "My friends, unless our children have more patience and courage than saved this country from slavery, republican institutions will go down before moneyed corporations. Rich men die, but corporations are immortal. They are never afflicted with disease. In the long run they are bound to win with legislatures."

Many of our readers remember James G. Blaine, called the white-plumed Knight, and perhaps the most of them voted for him to stay out of the White House and let Grover Cleveland, Esq., in. With prophetic wisdom Mr. Blaine said this was his private opinion, publicly expressed: "I believe the struggle now going on in this country, and in other countries for a single gold standard will, if successful, produce wide-spread disaster in the end throughout the world."

We are now confronted with the conditions that these eminent persons foresaw in their day, and it now remains with the voters in November to decide whether those things shall be reversed or kept on. The hour of doom is right upon us, and O what shall we do about it. C. C. K.

Those who believe chronic diseases to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Clark's Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhea ever since the war, and have tried all kinds of medicine for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy. This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery, and diarrhea. It is pleasant to take and never fails to effect a cure."

Official Directory of Pocahontas.

Judge of Circuit Court, A. N. Campbell, Jr.
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Clerk County Court, S. L. Brown.
Clerk Circuit Court, J. H. Patterson.
Assessor, C. G. Arbaugh.
Commissioners of Court, C. E. Beard, J. H. Patterson, J. M. Keen.
County Surveyor, George Baxter.
Coroner, George P. Moore.
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Justice, A. C. L. Osterwood, Spill Rock, R. H. Scott, Jr., Editor, W. H. Oyster, H. H. Hester, Wm. L. Brown, H. H. Hester, G. E. Curry, Academy, Thomas Bradley, Lohrke.

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GEO. BAXTER.

THE Stenboville Bryan and Sowell Republican Free Silver Club sent four hundred men to hear Bryan speak at Wheeling.

THE largest crowds that ever assembled to hear a single man speak are the audiences that listen to Bryan.

THE assess of the classes of Yale arrayed themselves against the masses of the New Haven people and prevented Bryan speaking at that place. In West Virginia the Yale men would have had a free fight on their hands.

THE animosities of this campaign exceed anything ever known in American politics, and yet we have never had the reputation of being particularly conservative.

THE New York World has repeatedly referred to a Silver Trust in the United States which has been proved to exist only in the brain of Mr. Pulitzer.

H. S. RUCKER and Captain C. T. Smith are stumping the county this week. Mr. Rucker is a free-silver Republican, and was for many years the chairman of the Republican executive committee of this county. He has always been a free-silver advocate, and in spite of the fact that his younger brother, Edgar P. Rucker, is the nominee for Attorney-General on the Republican ticket, he will do all he can to carry the State for Bryan.

It would do us good to defeat McKinley in more ways than one. For instance if the lavish use of money by Mark Hanna should result in total loss it would be many years before any man or number of men would risk any considerable amount in politics. It had grown so up to this year that a given amount of money would bring about a given result. This is one of the things which threaten our country today, and the needs of the country call for new men at the head of the government. Mr. Bryan said in his speech at Wheeling concerning money:

"In times of quiet, when people feel no deep interest, money may positively be expended in such ways as to effect the result of an election, but in times like these, when the people are in earnest, money cannot change the result of an election. As against a corruption fund, however much, we place the manhood of the voters of the United States."

Those who believe chronic diseases to be incurable should read what Mr. F. E. Grisham, of Guss's Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz.: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhea ever since the war, and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy. This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera, dysentery, and diarrhea. It is so pleasant to take, and so sure to effect a cure."

Miss Lola Barker teaches at Linwood.
Messie Gatewood has taken up his first school at Mace's School House, Dry Branch.
Dennis Williams teaches his first school at Slatsy Branch, near Mr. Harmon Sharp's.
M. G. Mathews, Esq., will teach the McLaughlin School on Thomas Creek, near Dunmore.
Warwick Renick has charge of the colored school at Brownsburg, near Eldray.
Miss Maud Eskridge has charge of the Mt. Pleasant school, near Eldray.
Thomas McCarty teaches the Gibson school on Elk.
Miss Maggie Moore teaches the Crooked Fork school near her father's residence.
Miss Alice McLaughlin has begun school near John Sheets', east of Linwood.
Miss Flora Moore, one of our promising young teachers, is opening the Pine Grove school near Eldray on Monday.
Joseph Peck, of Lobelia, began teaching at Green Hill, near Marlinton, the 5th instant.
Miss Florence Hively teaches the pleasant Hill school this season.
Miss Bertie Baxter will teach at Laurel Run for two more weeks and then Miss Leanna Baxter will succeed her, for the remainder of the session, by mutual consent.

DILLERS MILL.

The weather continues fine, and plenty of grass for stock. Wheat is covering the ground green and nice. The creek of the cane-mill is heard in various places. Cane is a good crop. Some cane got nipped by the frost, but not badly bitten.

The meeting at Mt. Zion closed Monday night. The Presiding Elder attended the meetings until Friday night, and delivered some very able sermons. Rev Thomas Clutterbuck, formerly of London, will take charge of this work.

Rev. N. L. G. Anderson removed to Roncoverte. The people are very loth to lose him. He ranks high as a preacher, and is an excellent performer of instrumental and vocal music.

W. B. Sharp is teaching the Cove Hill school. G. E. Moore the Spruce School, Jimmie McCarty the Mt. Tabor, and Miss Lena Kinnison the Fairview school.

The trial of Kelley vs. Gibson Bros. was soon knocked out by Attorney L. M. McClintic, counsel for the defendants. "Lock" generally turns the key on his opponent.

Miss Etta Shrader, of Davis City, is visiting relatives in this part. Mr. Hepler, of Millboro, Va., is canvassing for enlarging pictures, and is doing a good business.

Mr. Orin Slavin is in this community. The speaking at Frost was well attended, owing to a heavy rain, and all were well pleased with the speech made by Judge.

YOURS TRULY.

DUNMORE.

Fine weather, and the next thing will be shelling corn.

Miss Nellie Fritchard has returned home from a month's visit to Roncoverte. Miss Hattie Jackson came home with her.

Miss Mary Cackley, of Roncoverte, and Willie May Smith, of Marlinton, are up on a visit.

Miss E. N. Warwick has returned home from a visit.

Dr. J. Newton Craig, of Atlanta, Ga., is here and preached one of the ablest sermons at Dunmore on Sunday night last that has been preached here for a long time.

Miss Dora Brownlee will commence her school at Dunmore next Monday.

Prof. John A. McLaughlin has commenced his school at Green Bank. Auctioneer Swicker sold on last Saturday all the household goods of Capt. Lakin.

The Captain sold his fine house and lot to Jacob Taylor, Jr., consideration \$100 cash. The Captain has gone to Massachusetts for medical treatment. Mrs. Lakin and Miss Kittle have gone to Roncoverte.

Miss Ed Benson returned this week after a month's stay in Highland County.

Auctioneer Swicker will attend the Circuit Court in Beverly the 13th and 14th, and Marlinton the 20th and 21st of October.

Each member of the Executive Committee of the Musical Association ought to attend the fall session, the 16th and 17th, at Morris Chapel.

Mrs. B. M. Miss Nellie, and Mr. Ellis Swicker, of Elmboro, W. Va., are visiting relatives near Dunmore.

There was a bad game of football on Saturday last bet-see Dunmore and Oak Grove. Dunmore kicked four goals, and Oak Grove got one of those things that walk around of dark, wet nights.

William McLaughlin and family were called to Highland County on Saturday night last on account of the sickness of some of their friends.

Miss M. B. Rucker and Captain C. T. Smith spoke on Tuesday night to a large crowd of voters at Green Bank. These gentlemen have the right side of the money question for the laboring men and farmer—that is more said and better shown.

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Why Republicans Can Vote for Bryan.
The Republican Leader, of Winchester, Virginia, gives reasons for voting for Bryan as follows:

The time has come that we should decide whether we will support principles, and if John Sherman and Grover Cleveland can unite upon an issue, why can not the people? We have for years a life-long friend and ally in the Republican party. For nearly twenty years we have firmly believed in its principles and the free coinage of silver and have contended that the Republican party is the only party that will stand for the people, and taking the three last reforms, what are they but the last of the old.

1898.—The Republican party is in favor of the use of both gold and silver as money and condemns the policy of the Democratic administration in its efforts to demonetize silver.

1895.—The American people have tradition and interest favoring protection and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money.

1896.—The existing gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper must be maintained as a party with gold and we favor measures designed to maintain the obligations of the United States and all money, coin or paper, at the present standard.

Now let us come to the Chicago convention; the uses of that convention arose above the machine and three over board all the leaders and unfaithful servants and loudly proclaimed for the people. How at St. Louis? The people demanded McKinley, but Platt, New York and the money kings defeated and forced upon the party a platform of protection, in-American, sectional and class in every particular. And as a true Republican and American, we are compelled to place principle above party, however it may grieve, we must be a man, not a monkey. As we have fought in the ranks of the people and as the cost of that money power. We are not opposed to money.

Believing in American principles of protection, we want the American people protected from Shylocks, England and Wall street money grabbers. Believing that true protection is to legislate for American and American productions and not for the interest of England and other countries. We believe in this fight that the people have got the real issue, the real and vital principles to their own interest, and we trust they will lay aside party feeling and prejudice and come together for the good of all, and let the fight be between concentrated wealth and the producers, who have been ground to powder by the vicious financial system of the past. It is truly laughable to hear the bankers great solicitude for the poor laboring man and producers of all wealth.

John Sherman, Grover Cleveland and their followers would like the name to talk force bills, tariff questions, hate and fight one another and go to the poor house. But as true Republicans and true Americans, we ask you to consider our own interests and those of our family and children, and vote for the people's party, represented by Bryan and Sewall.

Executive Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Pocahontas County is called for October 10th (County Court day) at 1 p. m. at the court-house. Let all attend.

L. M. McCLINTIC, Chairman.
Bryan Clark, Secretary.

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned Chairman of the Ballot Commissioners of Pocahontas County up to the evening of the 12th of October, 1896, for the printing of the ballots for said county to be used in the general election to be held on November 4, 1896. J. H. PATTERSON, Chairman Board of Ballot Commissioners.

Croup Quickly Cured.

WORTHINGTON'S. Ask—Your children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It cured them almost instant relief.—F. A. Thompson.

The arrest of Mr. Florence M. Deacon and her commitment to one of the fifty dungeons of our county jail on Monday evening last, is unique in the history of our collection laws.

Mrs. Deacon is a very beautiful young English woman with a wayward husband, but said to be possessed of wealth, and to be of elegant social position. She owns adjoining the Virginia Hotel a large and valuable business block in this city. For four years she and her husband have made this their home, her custom being to spend part of her time here and part in England. She was on the eve of starting for her visit, when the mercantile of Leob Bros. sued out a writ of replevin, which requires the body of the body of the person to be taken, had it levied on her by a constable and she was taken to jail and locked up for several hours. After a while bail was found and she was released, but not until she had endured the horrors of a convict cell and been subjected to the indignities of a prison crowded, filthy vermin, disease, and with the worst element of the criminal class. As she was being brought out officers were bringing in a drunken fellow. On reaching the door her nervous system relaxed under the strain she came near falling and would have done so but for the assistance of her female attendant and husband. She was taken, weeping hysterically to her home.

Mrs. Deacon has only a short time since been in the King's Daughters Hospital in this city, and her delicate physical condition has it is said been put to a great strain. The debt for which she was incarcerated was only \$80. Her husband spends nearly all his time here. He has been naturalized and is a voter in Staunton. He was not going with her on her visit, as it was to be only of short duration. The case will come up before the Hustings Court on the 15th of this month, and has attracted much attention.—Staunton Spectator and Vindicator.

Serious Accident.

"Bunk" Robinson, of Rockingham county, was cleaning out and repairing the well of Francis Custus, near Franklin, Monday last, when by some means a large rock above him became dislodged and fell on him. He was taken out unconscious and a frightful wound was found upon his head and shoulder. He was attended by all of our physicians, but remained unconscious four hours. Brandy and other medicines were introduced hypodermically and consciousness was finally restored. As we go to press it is thought he will recover. It is a great wonder that he was not killed.—Pondition Advocate.

The above article failed to state that there was a hero connected with this sad affair and that hero was one of Highland county's most respectable colored men. His name is Taylor Daugherty and he resides near Meadow Dale. He and other colored friends from this county were attending a lawn party at Franklin at the time of the accident. No person in that section, not even an man who were working in the well, would go down for the man whom they thought had been killed by the falling rock. Taylor Daugherty voluntarily offered his services, went down into the well, which was over fifty feet deep, and brought the unconscious man safely to the surface.

Acts of heroism of this character should not be allowed to go by unnoticed, even if the teller of them sometimes shows up a little badly for others.—Highland Recorder.

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Commissioner's Sale.
PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county West Virginia, rendered on the day of April, 1896, to sell the property hereinafter mentioned in the chancery cause of M. J. McNeel vs. Lanty W. Herold, and others, the undersigned special commissioner will proceed to sell on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20th, 1896
in front of the court-house door of Pocahontas county, at public auction to the highest bidder, 14 acres or more, of land, situated in the village of Frost, in this county, consisting of two adjoining parcels, one of which is the residue of a tract of land conveyed to the said Lanty W. Herold by Charles J. Jones, Commissioner, by deed dated April 9, 1896, after conveying 2 acres to H. E. Herold by deed dated April 10, 1896. The other parcel contains 1 acre, and the title was derived from the late J. B. Hamrah. This land has upon it a comfortable dwelling house together with all necessary outbuildings, and is admirably suited for hotel purposes.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
L. M. McCLINTIC, Special Commissioner.
J. H. Patterson, clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, do hereby certify that the above named special commissioner has given bond as required in said decree.
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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Fiduciary Notice.
THE following fiduciary accounts are before the undersigned commissioner of accounts for settlement, to-wit:
J. B. Moore, Administrator of Mosca Moore, deceased.
Austin Guinn, Guardian of Allie B. McLaughlin.
L. M. McCLINTIC, Commissioner.

Commissioner's Sale.
PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, made on the 21st day of October, 1895, in the chancery cause of J. Mc. Kinnison, Administrator of Jane Kinnison, deceased, vs. Susan J. Londermilk, et al., the undersigned Special Commissioner will proceed to sell by way of public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, on Tuesday, the 20th day of October, 1896, a certain tract of land situated in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, in Edray District of said county, on Spruce Flat on the waters of Dry Creek, consisting of 105 acres more or less, it being that land conveyed to the defendant, Susan J. Londermilk by the said Jane Kinnison deceased, by deed bearing date on the 16th day of April, 1891, and of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas County. This land is covered with fine timber, and the soil is good.
TERMS OF SALE.—So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and for the residue the purchaser to pay to the purchaser will be required to execute a bond, with interest thereon from day of sale, with good personal security, the title to said land to be retained as ultimate security.

ANDREW PRICE,
Special Commissioner.
J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County do hereby certify that the above signed special commissioner, Andrew Price has given bond as required in the said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.
AT A COUNTY COURT convened and held for the County of Pocahontas, at the court house thereof, on Wednesday, the 15th day of July, 1896.

"Petitions signed by S. B. Scott, Jr., and 374 other voters of Pocahontas County, verified by proper affidavits, praying that the "Alternate Road Law" enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia in 1891, be submitted to the vote of the people of said County at the next ensuing election held throughout the county for its ratification or rejection, and at the same time a petition signed by George P. Moore and 26 other voters of Edray District in said county, and a petition signed by J. S. McNeel and 52 other voters in the Levels District, in said County, praying that said "Alternate Road Law" be submitted to the voters of said districts at the general election held therein, were this day presented.

"On consideration whereof, it is ordered that the prayer of the said petitions be granted, and it is further ordered that the said "Alternate Road Law" enacted in 1891, be submitted to the voters of said County and the two districts above said, viz: Edray and Levels, for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held throughout this county on the first Tuesday in November, 1896; that being the next ensuing election held throughout this county after the presentation of said petitions.

"It is further ordered that the Clerk of this Court certify a copy of this order to the Ballot Commissioners of Pocahontas County, who shall cause to be printed on the ballots used in voting in said election in this county the words prescribed in section 16 of chapter 43 of the Code of West Virginia, 1891, and said Clerk shall cause due publication to be made of this order in the Pocahontas Times, a weekly newspaper published at Marlinton, in this county, or some other newspaper of general circulation in this county, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to said election."
Attest: Teste:
S. L. BRADSHAW, Clerk.

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—OF—
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By virtue of a deed of trust made
by Marcellus H. Briggs and Eliza-
beth Briggs, his wife, to me as trustee,
dated April 1st A. D. 1893, I
will sell at public auction at the
front door of the courthouse of
Wendover county, State of West Vir-
ginia, commencing at 10 o'clock on

SATURDAY, October 31, 1896,

the following described property:

A tract of 16,012 acres of land,
composed of the following surveys
and tracts: 3,823 acres, surveyed
for Haghighat and Snyder; 787
acres surveyed for Peter Conrad; 415
acres surveyed for J. Arnold; 1,960
acres surveyed for J. P. Haghighat;
750 acres surveyed for Henry T.
Moore; 1,860 acres surveyed for W.
A. Snyder; 770 acres and 400 acres
surveyed for Henry C. Moore; said
land is situated in Randolph, Web-
ster, and Pocahontas Counties, in
the State of West Virginia, and be-
ing the same land conveyed to the
said Marcellus H. Briggs by John
T. McGraw, by deed dated April
1st, 1893. Reference is here made
to said deed, which is recorded in
the above named counties, for more
particular description of said land.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the
purchase money and as much more
as the purchaser may elect to pay
in cash, and the balance in three
installments on 6, 12, and 18 months
from day of sale the purchaser giv-
ing his notes with interest well ap-
proved personal security and the
title to be returned as additional se-
curity.

JOHN R. M. McCLINTIC, Trustee.

The Weekly Letter.

One of the most noticeable fea-
tures of this campaign is the com-
plete assurance of the election of
their Presidential candidate that is
felt by men of both parties. In
discussing the probable success at
the polls there is one difference to
be observed between the goldbug
and the silverite, and it redounds
to the credit of the free-silver man.
It is the fact that the free-silverite
will go into details, discuss the
probability of doubtful States, and
analyze the situation, finding each
time he does so great consolation,
while the gold man will dismiss
the subject with some general re-
mark, such as that Bryan has not
one chance in a thousand; that
McKinley will be elected because
the majority is for him; or that the
honest money which Mr. Mark
Hanna is disbursing is bound to
win. The Journal, the only great
New York paper that speaks up for
the poor man's candidate, has been
particularly careful to obtain an
estimate of the probable result in
each State, and has printed the
letters received from prominent
men of each State, of both parties.
A careful reading of this aggrega-
tion of the estimates of each State
impresses the man who tries to
keep his mind entirely free from
bias or prejudice that Bryan will
sweep the country at the next elec-
tion, and that a free-silver Congress
will be elected.

After all it seems that West Vir-
ginia is in itself a true index of the
result of the election. Some esti-
mates have marked it doubtful,
while it has been claimed with ab-
solute certainty by men of both
parties. We that live here and can
tell how the state is going prob-
ably have the true knowledge of the
result of the national election. As
for the writer he cannot help but
think that the State is certainly
more strongly for free-silver than
it was for the Democratic party in
1892. It is most certainly true in
this county. There is not a free-
silver man in this county who
knows anything of the situation
whatever but who would willingly
state everything he is worth upon
Pocahontas County increasing the
majority of 1892, which was the
largest Democratic majority the
county ever gave, —413. In the
election of Congressmen, two years
ago, the defection in that majority
was in almost exact proportion to
the Republican gains in the entire
State, and so we see that the vote
of this county in the last two elec-
tions has indicated what would be
the result in the State. If, then,
we judge the future by the past we
can take the temper of the people
of this county and believe that if
we increase our majority here the
other counties will do the same,
and the "doubtful" State of West
Virginia being carried, enough
other doubtful States will also go
for Bryan to elect him, so as goes
Pocahontas so goes the nation. If
I have not made a chain of false
reasoning, my fellow citizens, we
have a good deal of responsibility
resting upon us.

We have intended for a long
time to speak of a monthly mag-
azine received at our office called
"Our Dumb Animals," published
by the Massachusetts Society for
the Prevention of Cruelty to Ani-
mals. Its motto is, "We speak for
those who cannot speak for them-
selves." And also a verse from
Compton:

"I would not enter on my list of friends
The graced with polished manners and
fair words
For lacking sympathy, the man
Who seriously tries to look upon a worm."

Geo. T. Angell is president and
publisher, and in reading his ex-
cellent writings, which teach kind-

ness to animals, one notices an
egotism on his part that does not
amount to much, and that is his
signing his name to every article
he writes, and whether it be large
or small it is branded with his
name. We are inclined to think
that as a rule a man treats his
stock as well, if not better than his
family, and that it goes without
saying that a good man will treat
animals as kindly as it is in his
power so to do. We fear that "Our
Dumb Animals" is not a very prac-
tical magazine. It wants to help
"deserted cats." We say kill them
as you would other pests. It ob-
jects to vivisection. The medical
profession does more to alleviate
suffering than any monthly mag-
azine, so the monthly magazine
must not attempt to dictate to the
profession. Mr. Geo. T. Angell
says that docking horses tails is
infernal. He is quite right, yet
horses with docked tails are cared
for, as a rule, much better than the
majority of poor people, and there
are compensations. His best feed
is objecting to the use of birds on
the bonnets of fashionable women.
Savages decorated their heads and
bodies in this manner.

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We were struck with an original
poem in "Our Dumb Animals."
We reproduce it.

If I can stop one heart from breaking,
I shall not live in vain;
If I can ease one life the aching,
Or cool one pain,
Or help one fainting robin
Unto his nest again,
I shall not live in vain.

EMILY DICKINSON.

Emily, you are a good girl, going
about with a great hunk of ice to
find a pain red hot in pursuit of a
victim, and cooling it, while ever
and anon you may see some poor,
overworked hen robin topple over
in a dead faint because her hus-
band is a brute, and then you help
the fainting robin unto her nest
again. We liked it so much that
we lapsed into making the same
kind of strain, and before we knew
what we were about, dear Emily,
we had dreamily repeated:

If we can keep one printing plant from
bursting,
We shall not live in vain;
If we can do it, hungering and thirst-
ing,
By brain and brain,
And help the desperate editor
To one square meal again,
We shall not live in vain.

The 50-cent Dollar Sophistication.

For one the writer of this article
for The Times has too much re-
spect for the feelings of those who
seem so much alarmed about hav-
ing to pay their debts with fifty-
cent dollars, like Senator Camden,
and those like him in noble im-
pulses, to discuss the matter in a
light-minded style. We feel, too,
that allowance is to be made for
newspaper men, who must write
pot-boilers, and ministers whose
bread and butter may be in evi-
dence, if the former should indite
absurd editorials and the latter
preach hysterical sermons on the
fifty-cent dollar.

After making all due allowances,
let us candidly consider the foun-
dation of their editorials and red-
hot sermons, and wonder why it is
they do not seem to know how pit-
ifully weak it all is. Now can it
be possible that men smart enough
to be senators, editors, of metro-
politan papers, and preachers of
national reputation do not know it
is a 200-cent dollar they have to-
day in their purses, in consequence
of the demonization of silver by
the foremost wealth-producing na-
tion upon earth. The gold stand-
ards and papers and pulpits, especially
in the east United States, are filled
to repletion with charges of dis-
honesty and repudiation against
every person who is in favor of re-
sumption silver, and who by law
what low law does. They sneer
by the press, and even in the pul-

pit, without fear of contradiction,
that the free-coinage of silver
would reduce the value of the dol-
lar to fifty cents as measured by
gold, and that resumption of
silver, or bimetalism would be
beneficial only to people owning
silver mines, and to those who are
in debt and hope to pay out with
50-cent dollars.

Now how can it be that these
editorial philosophers and preach-
ers do not see that these two propo-
sitions cannot both be true at the
same time? The fact is that one
of them is the exact opposite of
the other. For the value of the
silver dollar in a dollar at the
present time is about 53 1/2 cents, as
measured by gold. Now if the free-
coinage will reduce that value
from 53 to 50 cents, as measured
by gold, where will the silver min-
er be benefited? Echo answers
where, but reason says that the sil-
ver miner would be injured instead
of being benefited if the value of
his product should be reduced from
53 to 50 cents. It is self-evident
that the silver miner would derive
no benefit from free-coinage unless
the value of their products should
be increased by free-coinage. If
the present value of the silver bul-
lion in a dollar is 53 cents, as
measured by gold, and the silver
mine owner is to be benefited by
free-coinage, it must be that the
price of the silver bullion must ad-
vance when silver is remonetized.
The editorial philosophers and the
pulpiters however, assert that the
value of silver, as measured by
gold, will not be advanced by free-
coinage. If this statement be true
then the silver miner cannot hurt
himself by free-coinage. The value
of silver must be increased, or
the mine-owner will derive no
benefit from it, and hence the
can be no such thing as a 50-cent
dollar, except in the fertile imagi-
nation of certain editors and pul-
pit magnates of hysterical propen-
sities. When we come to consider
what has actually occurred in the
past twelve months we find that
the value of silver has been in-
creased as measured by gold, about
20 per cent, and this is the period
when the advocates of free silver
have been pushing the subject to
the front.

Let us hear the conclusion of the
whole matter, the truth is simply
this, that under the free coinage
of silver and gold at the present
ratio of 16 to 1, the value of silver
will rise and the value of gold will
fall until the two metals will reach
a parity at that ratio, and the Amer-
ican dollar will be worth 100 cents
whether it be gold or silver.

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Public Speaking.

Hon. E. I. Holt, Democratic
nominee for State Senator, will ad-
dress the voters of Green Bank
District at Green Bank,

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17th

at 1 p. m. Everyone come and
hear the issue of the day impar-
tially discussed by our next State
Senator, J. W. BAXTER, for the
Senatorial Executive Committee.

A few weeks ago the editor was
taken with a very severe cold that
caused him to be in a most misera-
ble condition. It was undoubtedly
a bad case of a gripe and recog-
nizing it as dangerous he took
immediate steps to bring about a
speedy cure. From the advertisement
of Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy and the many good recom-
mendations included therein, we
concluded to make a first trial of
the medicine. To say that it was
satisfactory in its results, is put-
ting it very mildly indeed. It acted
like magic, and the result was a
speedy and permanent cure. We
have no hesitancy in recommending
this excellent Cough Remedy
to anyone afflicted with a cough of
any kind. —The Banner of Lib-
erty, Libertytown, Maryland.

large, to wit: D. B. Lucas and Da-
vid E. Johnson, and the two par-
ties agreeing on these district elec-
tors, named two electors at large
from the People's Party, in Huber-
T. Houston, of Alderson, and Jas-
W. Bassel, of Weston. This in-
sures the State.

Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the
Circuit Court of Pocahontas County,
West Virginia, made on the 12th
of June, 1893, in the chancery cause
therein pending of Thomas C. Mc-
Comb vs. John Wanless, the unde-
signed Special Commissioner on
the 20th day of October, 1896,
at the front door of the court house
in said Pocahontas County, pro-
ceed to sell by way of public auction
the highest bidder, the following
tract or parcel of land situated
Back Alleghany, in said County,
namely:

A tract of 393 acres of land be-
longing to the defendant, John
Wanless, it being a part of a sur-
vey of 865 acres granted by pat-
ent to Andrew Wanless, and the
conveyed by said Andrew Wanless
to said John N. Wanless by de-
dated on the 26th day of June, 18
and recorded in the Clerk's office
of the County Court of Pocahontas
County, in Deed Book No. 13 p.
54, to which deed reference is ma-
de for a more specific description,
much of said tract as will be nec-
essary to satisfy said decree will
be sold which will be from that
adjoining the lands of Thomas Mc-
Comb, and the tract is cleared
part and in good land.

TERMS OF SALE—So much of
in hand as will pay costs of the
and expenses of sale, and up-
credit of six months as to the re-
due of the purchase money,
purchaser executing his bond
good security for the deferred
installments, and a lien to be re-
tained as ultimate security.

L. M. McCLINTIC,
Special Commissioner.
J. H. Patterson, Clerk of
Circuit Court of Pocahontas County,
do hereby certify that the above
Special Commissioner has ex-
ecuted as required by said de-
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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**LIGHT
SOAP**

"If I were a citizen of the United
States I should go about with
16 to 1 badges all over me. I am
a pretty good instance to my
friends here about bimetalism, but
over there I should be avoided
like a pestilence. I believe that
if the system were given fair play
the United States is big enough,
rich enough, and strong enough
to maintain the par of exchange alone
and to settle the ratio of the world.
Besides, I believe that other na-
tions would soon follow her exam-
ple. Anyhow, gold has been drawn
from the country for some time,
and it does not seem a logical way
to keep one's gold by increasing
one's gold indebtedness, which
which is apparently the sound-
money's penance. Supposing that
on the passage of a free-coinage
act in the United States there was
a panic, and the gold left the coun-
try in large quantities, and there
was a gold premium in New York,
what would naturally happen?
The gold would go to Europe;
there would be a great stimulus to
the exports of the United States in
consequence of higher gold prices,
and the gold would flow back nat-
urally in course of trade. I would
much rather keep gold in the United
States by going on to silver
than by raising gold loans."

Be Sure You Are Right

And then go ahead. If your blood
is impure, your appetite failing,
your nerves weak, you may be sure
that Hood's Sanguiferine is what
you need. Then take no substi-
tute. Insist upon Hood's and only
Hood's. This is the medicine
which has the largest sale in the
world. Hood's Sanguiferine is the
One True Blood Purifier.

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Assessor, C. F. Beard,
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